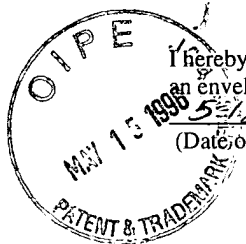


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In response to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application Under 37 CFR 1.53(d) mailed March 4, 1998 (copy attached), enclosed are the Application For United States Letters Patent Declaration and Power of Attorney executed by the inventor, and the filing fees.

A check in the amount of \$1,612.00 is enclosed to cover the filing fees. Fees are calculated as follows.


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A conditional petition for an Extension of Time is requested to provide for the timely filing if an extension of time is required after all papers filed with this transmittal have been considered.

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